

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: <b>Arndt et al.</b>	§ Group Art Unit: <b>2444</b>
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For: <b>Hardware Enforcement of Logical Partitioning of a Channel Adapter's Resources in a System Area Network</b>	§ Attorney Docket No.: <b>AUS920030601US1</b>

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**AMENDMENT UNDER C.F.R. § 1.312**

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No fees are believed to be required. If, however, any fees are required, I authorize the Commissioner to charge these fees which may be required to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0447. No extension of time is believed to be necessary. If, however, an extension of time is required, the extension is requested, and I authorize the Commissioner to charge any fees for this extension to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0447.

Proposed amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.